CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE BRYOPHYTE FLORA OF TURKEY: II

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This second account enumerates the bryophytes collected by Dr. P. H. Davis in South-Eastern Turkey in 1954. As in the previous paper (Henderson & Muirhead, 1955) new records for the Turkish flora are distinguished by an asterisk. The nomenclature of mosses is that required by the use of Hedwig's Species Muscorum (1801) as a starting point; the Check List of British Mosses (Richards & Wallace, 1950) has been relied upon for most of this revision.

The most marked feature of this collection is the preponderance of species of the Arctic and the mountain ranges of Eurasia; examples are Distichium capillaceum, Timmia norvegica, Brachythecium trachypodium and Hypnum vaucheri. These species occur in association with more typically "mediterranean" taxa as Scorpiumium deflexifolium, Cratoneuron filicinium var. fallax and Philonotis calcarea var. orthophylla. This collection again emphasises that the bryophyte floor of the area is merely a modified European type and that, contrary to the position in the flowering plants, there seems to have been no extensive development of endemic taxa.

Where a different name has been used from that in the first paper on Turkish bryophytes, the latter name has been added in brackets to facilitate cross-reference.

POLYTRICHEAE

Polytrichum iuniperinum Hedw.

Prov. BitLis: Suphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., soil pockets on steep north scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24679.

DICRANACEAE

Distichium capillaceum (Hedw.) B. & S.*

Prov. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Cilo Tepe, 3500 m., on shady limestone cliffs, 9 Aug. 1954, 24171; ibid. 24173.

PROV. BITLIS: Süphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., moist soil pockets on steep north scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24681 (with *Tortula ruralis* and *Hypnum revolutum*).

Prov. VAN: dist. Başkale; Ispiriz Dağ, 3400 m., shady rocks, 31 July 1954, 23766 (with *Brachythecium collinum* and *Bryum* sp.).

POTTIACEAE

Tortula ruralis (Hedw.) Crome (Syntrichia ruralis Brid.).

Prov. BiTLIS: Süphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., moist soil pockets on steep north scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24681a (with *Distichium capillaceum* and *Hypnum revolutum*).

Prov. HAKKârı: Cilo Dağ, in Diz deresi, 1680 m., limestone rocks, 6 Aug. 1954, 24011 (with Orthotrichum cupulatum and Barbula rigidula); Cilo Dağ in Diz deresi, 1700 m., by river, 6 Aug. 1954, 23874a (with Hypnum vaucheri).

Tortula intermedia (Brid.) Berk.

Prov. BitLis: Süphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., soil pockets on steep north scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24680 (with Hypnum vaucheri).

Barbula rigidula (Hedw.) Mitt.

Prov. Hakkârı: Cilo Dağ, in Diz deresi, 1680 m., limestone rocks, 6 Aug. 1954, 24011b (with Orthotrichum cupulatum and Tortula ruralis).

Barbula recurvirostris (Hedw.) Dix. (Erythrophyllum rubellum (Hoffm.)

Prov. Van: dist. Hoşap; Kepir Dağ, 2900 m., by stream, 30 July 1954, 23334 (with *Mniobryum carneum* and *Brachythecium trachypodium*).

PROV. HAKKÄRI: Cilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Cilo Tepe, 3500 m., on shady limestone cliffs, 9 Aug. 1954, 24171a (with Distichium capillaceum, Timmia norvegica, Bryum caespiticium and Brachythecium collinum).

Gymnostomum aeruginosum Sm.

Prov. Hakkârı: Cilo Dağ, in Diz deresi, 5700 m., on limestone rocks, 6 Aug. 1954, 23875.

GRIMMIACEAE

Grimmia laevigata (Brid.) Brid.

Prov. Van: dist. Şatak; Kavuşşahap Dağ, 2800 m., dry metamorphic rocks, 24 July 1954, 23083.

Grimmia commutata Hüben

Prov. Van: dist. Şatak, Kavuşşahap Dağ, 2800 m., dry metamorphic rocks, 24 July 1954, 23083.

BRYACEAE

Pohlia drummondii (C. M.) Andrews*

Prov. Bitlis: Süphan Dağ, 4000 m., moist hollow with Luzula, 28 Aug. 1954, 24698a (with Drepanocladus aduncus).

Pohlia albicans (Wahl.) Lindb.*

Prov. Van: dist. Hoşap; Kepir Dağ, 2900 m., by stream, 30 July 1954, 23335.

Pohlia delicatula (Hedw.) Grout*

PROV. VAN: dist. Hoşap; Kepir Dağ, 2900 m., by stream, 30 July 1954, 23334a (with *Barbula recurvirostris* and *Brachythecium trachypodium*).

Bryum turbinatum (Hedw.) Sm.*

Prov. Hakkârı: Cilo Tepe, 3200 m., flushes by stream, 8 Aug. 1954, 24089.

Brvum schleicheri Schwaegr.*

Prov. Hakkâri: Cilo Tepe, 3200 m., wet rocks, 8 Aug. 1954, 24088.

Bryum caespiticium Hedw.

Prov. HAKKâri: Cilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Cilo Tepe, 3500 m., on shady limestone cliffs, 9 Aug. 1954, 24171c (with Distichium capillaceum, Timmia norvegica, Barbula recurvirostris and Brachythecium collinum).

Bryum funckii Schwaegr.*

Prov. Van: dist. Şatak; Kavuşşahap Dağ, 3200 m., by rill, 23 July 1954, 23201.

MNIACEAE

Mnium punctatum Hedw.

Prov. Ôrdu: Karakuş (above Üniye), 1200 m., damp shady bank in Fagus forest, 5 Sept. 1954, 24943.

BARTRAMIACEAE

Philonotis calcarea (B. & S.) Schp.

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Kara Dağ, 3200 m., by stream, 15 Aug. 1954, 24381; ibid. 24389a (with Marchantia polymorpha); ibid. 24355.

var. orthophylla Schiffn.

PROV. HAKKĀRI: Cilo Tepe, 3100 m., on wet volcanic rocks, 8 Aug. 1954, 24090.

This variety appears to be restricted to Asia Minor. It was originally described from Turkey (Schiffner, 1897), and is also recorded from Turkey by Schiffner (1913).

TIMMIACEAE

Timmia norvegica Zett.*

Prov. Hakkāri: Cilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Cilo Tepe, 3500 m., on shady limestone cliffs, 9 Aug. 1954, 24171d (with Distichium capillaceum, Bryum caespiticium, Barbula recurvirostris and Brachythecium collinum).

ORTHOTRICHACEAE

Orthotrichum cupulatum Brid.

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ in Diz deresi, 1680 m., limestone rocks, 6 Aug. 1954, 24011a (with Tortula ruralis and Barbula rigidula).

FONTINALACEAE

Fontinalis antipyretica Hedw.

Prov. Hakkârı: Koçanis, 2300 m., on stone in stream, 13 Aug. 1954, 24336.

THUIDIACEAE

Thuidium abietinum (Brid.) B. & S.

PROV. TOKAT: Tokat-Artova, in oak scrub, 4 Sept. 1954, 24863 (with Camptothecium lutescens).

HYPNACEAE

Cratoneuron filicinum (Hedw.) Roth

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ, above Diz deresi, 2400 m., flush, 7 Aug. 1954, 23964a (with Cratoneuron commutatum).

var. fallax (Brid.) Moenk.*

PROV. VAN: 5 km. N. of Şatak, in rivulet, 25 July 1954, 23251.

Cratoneuron decipiens (De Not.) Loeske*

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Kara Dağ, 3000 m., flush, 15 Aug. 1954, 24382.

Cratoneuron commutatum (Hedw.) Roth

PROV. BITLIS: mountain 10 km. S.E. of Pelli, 2200 m., flushes, 8 July 1954, 22588.

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ, above Diz deresi, 2400 m., flush, 7 Aug. 1954, 23964, 23965.

var. falcatum (Brid.) C. Jens.

Prov. Hakkârı: Kara Dağ, 2850 m., by stream, 15 Aug. 1954, 24380, Cilo Dağ, above Diz deresi, 2400 m., flush, 7 Aug. 1954, 23966.

Prov. Van: dist. Şatak; Kavuşşahap Dağ, 2700 m., in rills, 23 July 1954, 23202

Drepanocladus aduncus (Hedw.) Warnst.

Prov. Bitlis: Süphan Dağ, 4000 m., moist hollow with Luzula, 28 Aug. 1954, 24698 (Pohlia drummondii): ibid., 24699.

Drepanocladus capillifolius (Warnst.) Roth var. dichelymoides Roth & Bock

Prov. BitLis: Nemrut Dağ, 2200 m., in crater lake in 1 ft. of water, 3 July 1954, 23571.

This collection is exactly like Dichelyma capillaceum macroscopically but the leave are not three-ranked as in the genus Dichelyma. The variety dichelymoides of Drepanocladus capillifolius was described from Central Europe and does not appear to have been extensively recorded. Drepanocladus capillifolius is generally considered to be a polyphyletic taxon produced by convergent evolution from a number of distinct species. Be this as it may, it is probably preferable to record under a well-defined name as I have done rather than transfer the variety to one of the generally accepted "basic" species of Drepanocladus—transfers which could only be justified by extensive revisionary work preferably combined with cultural experiments.

Acrocladium cuspidatum (Hedw.) Lindb.

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Koçanis, 2500 m., by stream, 13 Aug. 1954, 24335.

Scorpiurium deflexifolium (Solms) Fleisch. & Loeske

Prov. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Cilo Tepe, 3600 m., cracks of shady limestone cliff, 9 Aug. 1954, 24172.

Camptothecium lutescens (Hedw.) Brid.

PROV. TOKAT: Tokat-Artova, in oak scrub, 4 Sept. 1954, 24863a (with Thuidium abietinum).

Brachythecium rivulare (Bruch) B. & S. var. turgescens Warnstorf*

Prov. Bitlis: Mt. 10 km. S.E. of Pelli, 2200 m., flushes, 8 July 1954, 22587.

Brachythecium trachypodium (Bridel) B. & S.

Prov. Van.: dist. Hoşap; Kepir Dağ, 2900 m., by stream, 30 July 1954, 23334b (with *Barbula recurvirostris* and *Pohlia delicatula*).

Brachythecium collinum B. & S.

PROV. HAKKĀRI: Čilo Dağ, 10 km. W. of Čilo Tepe, 3600 m., on shady limestone cliffis, 9 Aug. 1954, 24171b (with Distichium capillaceum, Barbula recurvirostris, Timmia norvegica and Bryum caespiticium).

Prov. Van: dist. Başkale; Ispiriz Dağ, 3400 m., shady rocks, 31 July 1954, 23766a (with Distichium capillaceum).

Hypnum vaucheri Lesq.*

Prov. Bitlis: Süphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., soil pockets on steep north scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24680a (with *Tortula intermedia*).

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Cilo Dağ in Diz deresi, 1700 m., by river, 6 Aug. 1954, 23874 (with *Tortula ruralis*).

Hypnum revolutum (Mitt.) Lindb.

Prov. Birlis: Süphan Dağ, above Adilcevaz, 4300 m., moist soil pockets on steep scree, 27 Aug. 1954, 24681b (with *Distichium capillaceum*) and *Tortula ruralis*).

MARCHANTIACEAE

Marchantia polymorpha L.

PROV. HAKKÂRI: Kara Dağ, 3000 m., in flush, 15 Aug. 1954, 24389.

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